

Welcome to College Wesleyan Church

ORDER OF WORSHIP

November 19, 2023
In the Season of: **Ordinary Time**



GATHERING • *God unites us in His presence to remember the story of God.*

CENTERING SONG: Better Is One Day – Matt Redman

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATION

PASSING OF THE PEACE

This Is My Father's World – hymn #58

Jesus Strong and Kind – CityAlight

Amen – People & Songs

CELEBRATION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

O Give Thanks – Judith McAllister

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORD • *God speaks to us through His Word.*

SCRIPTURE PRESENTATION: John 4:7-19, 25-30, 39-42

The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

SERMON: "The First Evangelist"

THANKSGIVING • *We respond to God's Word in thanksgiving and fellowship.*

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

SENDING • *God blesses us and sends us out to do His mission in the world.*

BENEDICTION AND SENDING

Preaching Pastor: Steve DeNeff, **Host Pastor:** Jaena Hardin, **Song Leader:** Jordan Rife (acoustic & vocals) & Kismet Porter (keys & vocals), **Music Team:** Aaron Wilkinson (bass guitar), Anthony Francis (drums), Chandler Delaney (trumpet), Daniel Rife (piano & vocals), Bria Coil, Hannah Lee, Katie Powell, Lauren Klein, Nito Slack, Talia Alsop (vocals)

Meet the Staff!



Monthly Financial Update

Budgeted need as of October 31, 2023: \$1,286,334.20
Giving as of October 31, 2023: \$1,183,685.65
Outstanding JCB loan balance: \$150,292.70

If you are interested in being a finance teller
please reach out to patrick.riggs@collegewes.com

You can give online!
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Please take a moment to fill out the Digital Connect Card.
If you have any new information, prayer requests,
or ways you'd like to get involved, please share them,
and we'll be sure to get in touch.





College Wesleyan Church exists to make more and better disciples who transform the community and resource the church.

For more information about CWC, stop by the Welcome Desk in the Atrium, visit collegewes.com, or call the church office at 765-674-8541.

OPPORTUNITIES

Support Group for Adult Female Survivors of Sexual Abuse:

Every Sunday at 6pm, join other women in the Hospitality Room at College Wesleyan Church to read the book, "Courage to Heal" by Ellen Bass and Laura Davis together. Please be advised this is a support group, not professional therapy or counseling, and is open to any woman who has had this experience. If you have questions, inquiries, or would like more information, please email the group facilitator at womenhealing@collegewes.com. The facilitator is a trusted female member of CWC, has experienced childhood sexual abuse, and cares about your privacy and safety.

Sponsor a Blanket: Ladies Craft Night is partnering with "Blankets to Bless" to provide blankets to the Grant County Rescue Mission. The cost of one blanket is \$20. If you would like to sponsor the cost of one or more blankets, please place the money in the box on the atrium table, or in an offering envelope marked "blankets" and put it in an offering box at the back of the sanctuary. Thank you for your support of this outreach.

LOST & FOUND:

There are many items that have been left behind located on the Lost and Found Table in the Atrium (near the main doors). These items have been collecting for some time and will be taken to Goodwill as of December 1st. Please stop by and see if anything belongs to you!

End of Year Service Schedule:

November 26th (Christ the King Sunday) - One Service @ 10:00am
December 24th - One Service @ 10:00am, Christmas Eve Service @ 6:00pm
December 31st - One Service @ 10:00am

SPLASH Volunteer Opportunities:

SPLASH has 10 volunteer spots open for 2024. Please email stephanie.freemyer@collegewes.com if you would like to serve the children of CWC. Serve on the welcome team, safety team, classroom rotations, or as a lead teacher.

Bowman-Stone Park Project:

Since 2021 Hope House, REAL Community Covenant Church, and College Wesleyan Church have been partnering together to create the Bowman-Stone Park. We are currently trying to raise \$50,000 for the next phase of the park. If we hit our goal, IHCD's CreatINg Places program will match each dollar. Consider donating today.



Pre-Advent Prayer Retreat:

Saturday, December 2, 9am to 3pm at CWC. This single-day retreat is a great chance to practice silence, solitude, and intentional community, all built around the season of Advent. The cost is only \$20, and scholarships are available upon application. If you have any questions, contact janiceannbowen@gmail.com, and click here to register.



Christ the King Sunday - One Service @ 10:00am.

Next Sunday (November 26th) we will be celebrating the entirety of the Christian Year (Advent, Christmas, Epiphany, Lent, Easter, and Ordinary Time) in one service! His is a story for all people in all of time! There is no SPLASH or JCB programming this Sunday. We'll be streaming the service in the nursery/walker's rooms for caregivers and children aged 0-3; however, SPLASH workers will not be supervising.